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The *SOUTH-CAROLINA Gazette.*

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

By His Excellency JAMES GLEN, *Esquire, Governor in Chief, Captain-General, and Commander in and over His Majesty's Province aforesaid.*

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it hath pleased Almighty God lately to visit the Kingdom of *Portugal*, and other Countries, with very astonishing and awful Judgments: AND WHEREAS several Provinces upon this Continent, tho' far more powerful than this, have for some Time past been afflicted with the Calamities of War, and had their Back-Settlements laid waste by the cruel Incursions of merciless Savages, while this Colony, surrounded with numerous Nations of *Indians*, has been wonderfully preserved in Peace and Security, notwithstanding our manifold Sins have justly deserved severe Punishment: AND it being our Duty, to repent of our Sins, and humble ourselves before God: I HAVE therefore resolved, by and with the Advice of His Majesty's Council, that a *PUBLIC FAST* be observed throughout this Province; and I have thought fit, by the Advice aforesaid, to issue this my *PROCLAMATION*, appointing the same to be observed on FRIDAY the *Fourteenth* Day of *May* next ensuing, that all Ranks and Degrees of Persons may devoutly join in solemn Supplications to the Divine Majesty, to avert those Judgments which our manifold Sins have most justly deserved, to perpetuate the Enjoyment of the *Protestant* Religion among us, and the Security and Prosperity of this Province and all other His Majesty's Dominions, and to implore His Protection and Blessing upon the *British* Fleets and Armies.

Given under my Hand, and the Great Seal of His Majesty's said Province, at the Council-Chamber in Charles-Town, *this* 30th *Day of* April, Anno Domini 1756, *and in the* Twenty-ninth *Year of His Majesty's Reign.*

JAMES GLEN.

By His Excellency's Command,
John Murray, *pro Dep. Secr.*

God save the KING.

SOUTH CAROLINA

The PRESENTMENTS of the Grand Jurors of the Body of this Province, at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Goal Delivery, begun and holden at CHARLES-TOWN the 17th Day of March, *in the Year of Our Lord* One Thousand Seven Hundred *and* Fifty Six, *before the Honourable* PETER LEIGH, *Esq; Chief Justice, and the Assistant Judges.*

WE present, that the law restraining negroes from riots, &c. on the Lord's day is not executed, to a great grievance.

We present, the great number of taverns in *Charles-Town*, and houses selling spirituous liquors to sailors and negroes, which are a productive of many evils, such as receiving stolen goods, &c.

We present as a grievance, the many vacant lots about this town not enclosed, by which they become receptacles for all manner of filth, which, in summer especially, becomes most unwholesome and disagreeable.

We present as a very great evil, the lending money on pledges, as we apprehend it is an encouragement to thelving.

We present as a grievance, the want of a public gaol, as the present is quite insufficient to answer the end proposed.

We present the commissioners of the high roads for *Christ-Church* parish, for neglecting to lay out a road from Mr. *Edie's* house, after being applied to sundry times.

We present, the great neglect of the militia and patrol laws, as we are confidently informed that in several parts of the country the people have not been mustered these two years, and few will take the trouble to ride patrol in any part of the country. We also complain of the neglect of carrying arms to church and other places of worship, and against the bad custom of delivering their arms to negroes or other slaves to keep while they are at divine worship

We present *Artemas Elliott*, for shutting up a road that leads to the *Free-School*, as detrimental to every person concerned in land adjoining thereto; more especially as it excludes the inhabitants of *Charles-Town* from the only piece of pasture-ground belonging to the public.

We present *Daniel Matheny*, for keeping a disorderly house for soldiers, sailors, &c. which we were informed of by *James Tonge* constable.

We present *Patrick Reyley*, for keeping a disorderly house, which information we had from *William Patton* constable.

We present it as a grievance, that negroes and other slaves are allowed to keep arms in their possession, which we apprehend is owing to a defect in the negro act, as no man has a right to take arms from them but between saturday and monday.

We desire the court will please to order these presentments to be made public in the Gazette

Thomas Smith, Foreman.

Peter Benoist,	*Thomas Shubrick*,
William Carwithen,	*Thomas Rigdon Smith*,
Peter May,	*Robert Sams*,
Daniel Crawford,	*Thomas Fowman*,
George Summers,	*William Screven*,
Samuel Prioleau,	*David Adams*,
Christopher Gadsden,	*Thomas Farr*,
Charles Wright,	*George Paddon Pond*,
Thomas Blythe.	*Henry Perroneau*.

ANTHONY Grubbs, Samuel Jurdon, *John Hamilton, Zachariah Kennerly, Issachar Wilcox* and *John Fenquett*, justices, appointed in the late commission of the peace, were left out of the *Present* on account of their misbehaviour in acting as justices, and they are hereby required to take notice, that if they do presume hereafter to act in any respect whatsoever as justices of the peace, they will be prosecuted according to law.

☞ TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber, for *one, two,* or *three* Years Credit, either together or divided, and may be entered upon immediately, Two Settlements pleasantly situate near *Dorchester*, containing near 1000 acres of as good land as any in the province, 25 mile from Charles Town having good buildings of all sorts, necessary, and every convenience of water both for rice and indico, in compleat repair: A crop for the present year is planted thereon, and kept in very good order. ALSO to be sold, some other tracts of land in the parish of *Dorchester*, and some lots in the said town, with several other good tracts both *southward* and *northward*; and a tract of 320 acres on *Pon-pon* river, joining Thomas Besse, Esq;

CHARLES WRIGHT.

CHARLES-TOWN, *May* 1.

ON Tuesday last arrived here Capt. *Jamieson*, in 9 Weeks from *Glasgow*, by whom we have *London* News as late as the 10th of *February*, but we have not Room at present for the Particulars. We present our Readers, however, with the following Abstracts of the most material Parts, that they may not be altogether in the Dark as to what is transacting in *Europe*, viz.

" That troops were marching from all the interior " parts of France, to the sea coasts of Normandy " and Brittany, and vast warlike Preparations mak- " ing, which were thought to be intended for a ces- " sent somewhere: And, that the Brest fleet, con- " sisting of 29 ships of the line, had sail'd from that " port; their destination not known.

" That beacons and alarm-guns were ordered to " be erected along the sea coasts of England, and all " the cattle to be drove from thence 20 miles into the " country. That ships were taken up and gone for " Holland, to bring over 2300 Dutch troops into " England, and 6000 Hessians into Scotland; and " Col. Amhurst was gone to conduct the latter, and " Major Durand the former. That the regiments " in Ireland were ordered to be augmented with 20 " men to each company, and a large train of artille- " ry, &c sent thither. And, that the Admirals Os- " born, Mostyn, and Townshend, with a strong " squadron, and about 150 merchant ships under " convoy, had sail'd from St. Helen's the 31st of " January last, and were joined by Admiral West, " with some more ships of war, off Plymouth, on " the 3d of February.

" That the French court had resolved to send a " fresh supply of 5,800 troops to Canada, under " Messrs. Morliere and de Quincy who are to com- " mand in the room of Baron Dieskau.

" That the troops designed for our colonies (3000 " men) were ordered to embark immediately, and " vessels taken up to bring them out from Ireland. " That the right hon the Earl of Loudon, was ap- " pointed commander in chief of all his majesty's " forces in America, and governor of Virginia And " that the parliament of Great Britain had granted " £. 115,000, to be distributed to the colonies of " New England, New York, and New Jersey, as a " reward for their past services, and an encourage- " ment to exert themselves for the future; and 5000 " pounds more to Sir William Johnson, Bart. as a " reward for his services.

" That the French did actually seize all our ships " in their ports, on the 27th of January last, and " confine the crews; and had taken 16 British ves- " sels in the Channel.

" That his majesty had permitted Gov. Knowles, " of Jamaica, to resign his government.

" That the French king's edict, requiring all Bri- " tish subjects to quit his dominions before the first " of March, had been actually published, on the 3d " of February: And also an edict, promising very " great encouragement to these of his subjects that " would fit out privateers." *London Gaz. Feb.* 10.

On the 13*th instant, the following Acts of the General Assembly of this Province, received His Excellency the Governor's Assent*, viz

1. An Act, to revive and continue the several Acts of the General Assembly of this Province therein mentioned. And for amending one of the said Acts, intitled, *an Act for the better restraining Seamen from absenting from their Service; and for encouraging the apprehending of fugitive Seamen; and to discourage frivolous and vexatious actions at law being brought by Seamen against Masters and Commanders of Ships and other Vessels*: And also another of the said Acts, *for preventing contagious distempers*.

2. An Act for establishing a Ferry over Santee-River, at the Place commonly called Beard's Ferry, and vesting the same in James Beard, his Executors, Administrators, and Assigns, for the term therein mentioned. And applying part of the Surplus of the Money which was granted for making the Wateree River navigable, toward making a Road or Causey over the Swamp on Santee-River, leading to the said Ferry. And appointing Commissioners, for making and keeping in Repair, a Road from the said Ferry to the most convenient part of the road leading from the Congaree's to Charles Town.

3. An Act, establishing a Ferry, from the Plantation of Theodore Gaillard on the South Side of Santee River, to Murray's Landing on the North Side of the said River; and vesting the same in the said Theodore Gaillard, his Executors, Administrators and Assigns, for the Term therein mentioned. And for cleansing and clearing the Creeks therein mentioned, for the more convenient passing the said Ferry.

4. An Act, for laying out, making, and keeping in Repair, a Road from the Bridge commonly called Minnick's Bridge, to the 15 Miles Post on the Road leading from Orangeburgh Township to Charles Town. And for rebuilding the said Bridge, and keeping the same in Repair.

5. An Act for the Encouragement of Adam Pettigrew, in his Projection of a new Machine for cleaning of Rice.

6. An Act to encourage the making of Flax and Hemp in the Province of South Carolina. [*This Act and an Abstract of the following one, will shortly be published in a Supplement to this Gazette, pursuant to an Order of the Commons House of Assembly.*]

7. An additional Act, to an Act, intitled, *an Act for preventing, as much as may be, Accidents which may happen by Fire in Charles-Town in the Province of South-Carolina*. And for preserving the Fire Engines in the said Town, and rendering the same as useful as may be in Case of Fire.

We hear, that an Offer has been made to the *Acadians* here, to supply them with Vessels, &c. at the Public Charge, for transporting themselves elsewhere, as they have frequently solicited (or rather demanded); but that having refused to accept the Offer, because not exactly corresponding with their own Humour, a Method has been fallen upon that will render less troublesome and less expensive.

We hear also, that 30 more of these sort of People are coming from *Georgia*, and may arrive in Town To-Day.

Those that went from hence some Weeks since, stopt at several of the Inlets (if not all) on our Sea Coast (Northward), and at *Winyah* raised their Boats to proceed with the more Safety farther.

On Wednesday last a Vessel from *St. Croix* put into our Road, the Master of which says, that just before he came away a *French* Vessel arrived there, whose Master reported, that War had been declared against the *English*, at *Martinico*.

Yesterday arrived here Capt. *Smith*, in 17 Days from *Jamaica*, who informs us, that, the Day after he left that Island, he met with Admiral *Townshend*, in His Majesty's Ship *Dreadnought*, going thither; and spoke with the *Rye* Man of War, also going there: That the *Rye* had been chased off *Martinico*, by some of the *French* King's Ships: And, that 'twas said, the *French* had 5 Ships of the Line at *Cape Francois*.

Extract of a Letter from Antigua, dated April 1 1756.

" —— The *Warwick* Man of War of 60 Guns, commanded by Capt. *Shouldham*, this Day three Weeks, fell in with 3 *French* Men of War off *Martinico*, of 36, 40, and 74 Guns, who were just come from *Europe*: The 40-Gun Ship first attacked her, which she beat off twice with great Ease; then the 40 with the 36 Gun Frigate attack'd, with both which she play'd her Part, till the 74 Gun Ship came up, when the Fire became so hot that the Officers could not keep the Men to their Quarters: She then struck, and was carried into *Martinico*, to our very great Loss. —— We have had a second Packet, the Advices by which convince us War must have been declared some Weeks. —— We every Moment expect a powerful Squadron, with a Flag for Commodore *Frankland* —— *French* Men of War are cruizing to Windward, and Privateers will soon swarm: A *French* Brigantine had the Impudence to look into *English-Harbour* last Monday. ——"

In another Letter it is said, " That the 74 Gun Ship did not come to an Anchor at *Martinico*, but proceeded directly for St. *Domingo*."

And in another, " That the Fight was ——

ALL Persons who have sustained any Loss on the Receipt of Pistoles and Pieces of Eight out of the Treasury, are hereby required to make their Claims for being reimbursed such loss, to the public treasurer, on or before the first day of *January* next, after which time they will be excluded from the same. And all persons possessed of any of the 10*l.* and 5*l.* orders, issued in the year 1748, are hereby required to bring the same to the public treasurer to be exchanged, by the 18 day of *January* next, after which day none of the said orders will be exchanged.

between the *Warwick* and the *French* Frigates; as she would have taken them both, had not a Gun Ship come up.

As THEOPHILUS EUTHANOS's *Letter is come to Hand: the Time, and the* Author's *being unknown to the Printer, are Objections to its being inserted in this Day's Gazette.* ——*Another Paper has been received, which the Printer can give very good Reasons for laying aside, whenever the Writer pleases to become visible to him.*

MARINE LIST.

Sail'd since our last. April 25th, The Mercury, Crawford, for Lisbon; the Chance, Blake, for Cowes; and the Lovely Deb, Roberts, for Providence. *April* 26th. The Pretty Betsey, Gilbert, for Antigua; and the Sally, Schermerhorn, for New York

Remain Wind bound. The William Galley, Beef, for Poole; the Lydia, Riddal, for London; the Chelsea, Edwards, for Georgia; and the Lamb, Lithorn, for Cowes.

Near loaded, or may sail 'twixt this and our next. The Henrietta, Ross, for Portsmouth; the Nancy, Courtin; and the Lyon, James, for Cowes; the Carolina, Candé, for Oporto: the Dobbs, Hall, for Antigua; the Benjamin, Young, for St. Kitt's; and the Molly, Earle, for Jamaica.

VESSELS *entered inwards since our last.*

Ship Carolina, Andrew Candé, from London.
Snow Africa, Alex Millar, from Africa.
Snow Anne, Neal Jamieson, from Glasgow.
Brigt 7 Sisters, Jacob Whitewood, from Madera
Brigt. Georgia-Packet, A Marshal, from Philadelphia.
Brigt. Hopewell, Joseph Bird, from Poole.
Scasoner Molly, John Morrison, from Antigua
Sloop Dolphin, Hen. Hunter, from Rhode-Island.

Arrived, but not entered.

Brigt. Elizabeth, Johan Smith from Jamaica.
Schooner Recovery, James Gould, from Providence.
Schooner Chelsea, Digby Edwards, from St. Croix.

Entered Outwards.

Ship Carolina, Andrew Candé, for Oporto.
Snow Anne, William Bound, for Poole.

Cleared for Departure.

Ship William Galley, Wm. Beef, to Poole.
Ship Lydia, Joseph Riddal, to London.
Brigt. Pretty Betsey, Ephraim Gilbert, to Antigua.
Brigt Lamb, John Lithorn, to Cowes.
Sloop Lovely Deb. Jos. Roberts, to Providence.
Sloop Sally, John Schermerhorn, to New York.

Last *PRICE CURRENT* at CHARLES-TOWN, of the following Goods.

	By the Barrel.	By the Pound.
At Demand.	Rice, *per Ct.* 30 *s.*	Deer-Skins, 15 *s.*
	Tar, 32 *s.* 6	Best Indico, 25 *s.*
	Pitch, 37 *s.* 6	Indico. ——
	Green Ditto,	Tann'd Leather, 3 *s.* 9
	Turpentine, 12 *s.* 6	By the Bushel.
Pork, 10 *l.*		Corn, 12 *s.* 6
Beef. 6 *l.* 10		Pease, 12 *s.* 6

ADVERTISEMENTS.

JUST imported in the Schooner *Molly*, *John Morrison* master, from *Antigua*, muscovado sugar in tierces and barrels, good rum and cocoa. To be sold by *Smith & Scott.*

Who are in want of a quantity of rough rice and hogshead hoops.

To be sold at said *Smith & Scott's* store, exceeding good single refined sugar for cash, at 5*s.* 3*d.* per lb. taking not less than one hundred weight.

JUST imported in the Sloop *Dolphin*, *Henry Hunter* master, and to be sold by said master at his store on Col. *Beale's* wharf, choice *New England* RUM. Also to be sold, the said sloop, burthen about 37 tons, now lying at said wharf. For particulars inquire of the said *Hunter.*

WHEREAS some wicked and evil disposed person or persons did, in the dead of the night of sunday the 18th of *April*, set fire to the dwelling house of the subscriber at *Stono*, in *St. Paul's* parish, whereby the same, together with most part of the goods therein, were consumed to ashes, and the subscriber with his wife and several of his friends then asleep in the said house, were in the utmost danger of being burned to death: Now for the bringing of the offender or offenders to justice, who was or were guilty of the said damnable wicked action, the subscriber doth hereby promise a reward of 150*l.* to any person who shall discover all or any of the persons (if white) concerned therein, and if negroes or slaves a sum of 50*l.* to be paid upon his or their conviction. And if any person or persons concerned in the said action will discover his or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that such accomplice or accomplices be convicted thereof, such discoverer shall be intitled to the above reward, and the utmost endeavours will be used to procure his pardon.

William Williamson.

THE Church Wardens of *St. Philip's* parish have 1500*l.* to lend at interest, on good security. Inquire of *Francis Bremar.* *William Hepton.*

WHEREAS the Reward I lately offered for the Head of my Negro CYRUS, has failed of the End proposed, that is, of driving him Home: This is therefore to promise a Reward of *Twenty Pounds*, to any Person that will deliver him to me, or to the Warden of the Work House, alive; and *Fifty Pounds*, to whoever will prove his being harboured by any white Person, or *Ten Pounds* to such as will prove his being harboured by Negroes; to be paid upon Conviction of the Offenders. He is a middle sized yellowish Fellow, formerly belonged to the Estate of *Henry Williamson*, well known in Town, and in most Parts of the Country, particularly about *Stono*, where he is now supposed to be concealed. *Thomas Tucker*, Pilot.

TAKEN up at my plantation at *Santee*, about the 15th of *April*, 2 negro men, one of which is very tall, with a small bump on his shoulder, about 25 or 30 years of age, named *Gamout*, he says his master's name is *Smith*: The other is shorter and younger than the former. The owner may hear of them by applying to the subscriber, or Mr. *Peter Sinckler* in *St. Stephen's, Santee*

Patrick Brennan.

ON Friday the 21st of *May*, 1756, will be expoted to public sale, at the subscriber's near the *State-House*, 2 very neat CHAMBER ORGANS, one of which may serve for a country church or chapel; the other smaller, with a mahogany case; and he will put them up in the purchasers houses or elsewhere. Any person inclin'd to purchase before the day of sale, may treat with

Frederic Strobell.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of *William Shepard*, late of *Charles Town* deceased, are desired to pay the same forthwith; and all persons having any demands on the said estate are desired to bring in their accounts properly attested, to *Margaret Shepard*, Executrix.

Who has sundry dry goods, with a riding chair and a dray to dispose of on reasonable terms.

FURNISH'D Rooms to be lett, and (if chosen) board may be had in the same house. Inquire of *William Sanders* in *Queen street.*

PRICE of FLOUR, and ASSIZE of BREAD, as in our last.

WAS to have been SOLD on Tuesday the 27th of *April* last, at the usual Place in *Charles-Town*, a Lot of Land in the said Town, in *Broom's Alley*, adjoining Mr. *Tew's*, containing between 22 and 25 feet in front and 200 in depth: Also a tract of land containing 60 acres or thereabouts, 4 miles from *Charles Town*, adjoining the plantation of the late Mr. *Thomas Rose*, pleasantly situated on *Ashley-River*, and is very good for indico. Credit will be given 'till the first day of *January* next, paying interest and giving security.

James Parsons.

N.B. *The above sale is put off until Tuesday the 11th of May next. Any person inclined to purchase in the mean time, may treat with*

NOTICE is hereby given,

THAT the legislative power of *South Carolina* hath granted unto *Adam Pedington* of *Stono*, a patent, investing him with the sole right and property of making and mending various sorts of machines for the cleaning of rice; and if any one or more persons are desirous that all or either of them should be put in practice, the patentee will come into reasonable terms for the performance thereof, or will permit of a small one already prepared (that will take up but little room) to be fixed where required.

N B. That letters, carriage paid, will be received and answered by the patentee.

William de Brahm, Esq;

Surveyor-General,

GIVES Notice, that he has removed his Office into Mr. *Hodsden*'s House, the south east Corner of *Church* and *Tradd* streets, lately occupied by Mr. *Edwards*.

MR. *Joseph Stanyarne* on *John*'s-Island, advertises a dark bay horse, branded on the mounting buttock with a mill key, a star in his forehead, mealy mouth'd, between 12 and 13 hands high. Whoever claims the said horse, may have him by applying to *William Beane*.

JOHN BLALOCK of *Craven* county, tolls a stray sorrel gelding, about 8 years old, branded on the near buttock M, with a large blaze in his face, and about 13 hands high. The owner may apply to *John Crawford*.

BARRET MONTGUMERY, of Craven county, tolls a stray chesaut sorrel gelding, about 13 hands high, branded on the near buttock C. The owner may prove his property before me. *John Crawford*.

EXCEEDING good BOHEA Tea, any quantity not less than *Ten Pounds*, at 25 *s.* per pound; also, choice *Bristol* beer and cyder in bottles, to be sold at Messrs. *James Laurens* & company's store, by *Joseph Kershaw*.

Who has to sell good Blubber in barrels.

IMPORTED in Capt. *Livingston* and *Schermerhorn* from *New York*, best *Europa* flour, and choice rum Also in the last vessel from *Madera*, choice *Madera* wine, to be sold by *Robert Pierce Henderson*.

IMPORTED in the *Henrietta*, Capt. *Rose*, from *London*, an assortment of choice cordage and *English* sail duck, to be sold very reasonable by BOWMAN & YATES.

Who have a parcel of exceeding good *Barbados* rum to dispose of.

THE Owner of a black roan Gelding, about 8 years old, 14 hands high, paces a little, branded on the mounting shoulder I, on the same buttock H, and on the off shoulder I TL the TL being in one, may be informed where he keeps by applying to *James Bullock*.

THIS is to forwarn *Richard* and *William Field*, administrators to the estate of *James Field* deceased, or any other person, not to offer for sale, public nor private, the following three negroes, viz. *March*, *Isaac*, and *Sarah*; and likewise to forwarn any person from purchasing any of the abovesaid three negroes, they being the property of the subscriber. *Robert Mackrow*, sen.

RUN AWAY from the plantation belonging to Col. *Pinckney* at Bear's hill, two negro men, named *Scipio*, *Blackwall*, *Cæsar*, *Hannibal*, and *Sampit*. Whoever apprehends any one or all of the said negroes, and will deliver them to James Welsh, overseer at the said plantation, or to the warden of the work-house in Charles Town, shall receive from the subscriber, five pounds for each negro so delivered. *William Pinckney*.

TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber,

PART of a lot of land in *Unity* alley, containing 108 feet in front and 97 in depth, with a very good house thereon, having 4 rooms on a floor with two large garrets and a fire-place in every room, kitchen, cellars, and garden, with many other conveniences. Also a plantation on James Island, known by the name of *Torquet's*, which shall contain 120 acres. Likewise 2240 acres of land near Williamsburg, in two tracts: And a town lot in Beaufort, No. 79. Any person inclined to purchase any of these may apply to *Ribton Hutchinson*.

TO BE SOLD,

A Tract of land on the South side of *Ashley-River*, about 6 miles from *Charles-Town*, adjoining the lands of *William Bull*, Esqr Messrs. *William Branford*, *Andrew Deveaux*, and lands late of *Nathaniel Brown* deceased, containing about 100 acres old measure, exceeding good for indico, &c. Any person inclinable to purchase the same, may treat with the subscriber on *James Island*, or with *Edward Hutchinson* in *Charles-Town*. *John Samways*.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Mr. *Samuel Peronneau*, late of *Charles-Town* merchant deceased, are desired to pay the same by the first of *May* next, to prevent the unnecessary trouble and expence that will follow their neglect; to which purpose all the store goods of the said estate consisting of a parcel of fresh goods, just imported in the *Henrietta*, Capt. *John Rose* master, from *London* will be sold daily at a very low advance, for ready money only, consisting of fine chints, hollands, *Irish* linens, flowered and plain lawn, bohea tea at 25 *s.* per lb. loaf sugar at 5 *s.* per lb. fine white plain, blue and green ditto, pins and needles, *Hungary* water and *Sal volatile*, fine hyson tea, napkin damask, cambrugs thread, *Irish* cambrugs, with sundry other articles too tedious to mention. Also a small wooden house on *White Point*, next door to Mr. *De Brahm*'s, where Mr. Liston lately lived, to be lett, by *Elizabeth Peronneau*, Executrix.

RUN AWAY from the subscriber, a middle sized negro man, named *Jack*, about 25 years of age, and a short thick fellow named *Diego*. To any person that brings me Jack's head, I'll give a reward of *ten pounds*, and *five pounds* for *Diego*'s; or 5 l. for Jack brought in alive, and 50 *s.* for Diego. *Charles Barksdale*.

FOUND by a Negro, a pair of Silver Shoe Buckles. The Owner may have them of the Printer, giving a proper Description, paying for this Advertisement, and something for the Finder.

MR. *Artemas Elliott* advertises a red and white young heifer, markt with a crop, a hole and an under keel in each ear. The owner may prove his property before Wm. Simpson.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Joshua Wetherry deceased, are desired to pay the same forthwith, and all persons having any demands on the said estate are desired to bring in their accompts properly attested to *James Andrew*, Executor.

TO BE SOLD, at public Vendue, on Saturday the 8th of *May* next, at the Plantation lately occupied by *James Field* deceased, all the personal Estate of the said deceased, consisting of a parcel of fine slaves, horses, cattle, hogs, plantation tools, &c. The conditions to be made known at the sale, and the property not to be altered until the conditions are fulfilled and complied with

Richard Field, *William Field*, Administrators.

N. B. All persons to whom the above estate is any ways indebted, are desired to bring in their demands on or before the day of sale.

CHARLES-TOWN, Printed by PETER TIMOTHY.

TO BE SOLD, three tracts of land at *Wampee* in *St. John's* parish, one containing 500 acres, and another of 210, adjoining AND containing 100 acres, upon a fork facing three roads in sight of *Monck's* corner, at but 35 miles distance from Charles-Town and 2 and an half from Stone-Landing, all well stock'd with timber WHEREAS I have been informed, that a great number of fine large pine trees have been box'd and drawn on the 710 acres, these are again to offer, to any person that will prove by whom such trespass hath been committed, one half of whatever damages may be recovered upon such evidence. Apply to Gabriel Guigard in Charles-Town, or Doct. Mottet at Stone-Landing.

JOHN WARD

Taylor, from London,

NOW living in *Elliott ſtreet*, next door to Mr. *James Fowler*, makes all ſorts of gentlemen's coats and ladies riding habits, in the neweſt and neateſt faſhions. Any gentlemen or ladies that will be pleaſed to employ him may depend on due attendance, and true performance of their orders, at the moſt reaſonable rate, by their very *Humble Servant*

JOHN WARD.

STOLEN or STRAY'D

FROM *Charles Town* green, on ſunday the 4th inſtant, a ſorrel horſe with a blaze down his face, his mane, tail, and 4 feet are of a lighter colour than the other part of his body, hath one or two ſmall ſaddle ſpots on his back, and is branded on the off ſhoulder ſomething reſembling a ſtar, he is near 14 hands high, and of a ſlender make. Five pounds reward will be given for the delivery of the ſaid horſe to me in *Charles-Town*, or 3 l. to any perſon that gives information where he may be found. *Wm. Parker.*

TO BE SOLD,

AN half-acre corner lot of land in *Charles-Town*, at the Weſt end of *Queen-ſtreet*, known or diſtinguiſhed in the plan of the ſaid town by the number 275, containing in front on *Queen ſtreet* 92 feet of aſſize, and in depth from the ſame 240 feet and an half on *Maryk-ſtreet*, under fence Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſaid lot, may treat with *Benjamin Godfrey* in *Charles Town*, or *Alexander Hunt* on John's Iſland.

SOUTH-CAROLINA. WHEREAS *John Conner*, of the ſaid province, hath exhibited his petition to the chief juſtice and aſſiſtant juſtices of the court of common pleas, ſetting forth, that he is in the cuſtody of the provoſt-marſhal of this province, upon a Capias ad Reſpondendum, at the Suit of *Paul Douxſaint* and *Abraham Crouch*, for a debt by them ſued for; and that he is ready and willing to make ſurrender, upon oath, to any one or more of his creditors, in truſt for the reſt, all and ſingular his eſtate, both real and perſonal, a liſt or ſchedule whereof is annexed to his ſaid petition; and praying to be admitted to the benefit of the acts of the general aſſembly of this province made for the relief of inſolvent debtors: *It is therefore Ordered*, that the ſaid *Paul Douxſaint* and *Abraham Crouch*, and all others to whom the ſaid petitioner is any ways indebted be, and they are hereby ſummoned, and have notice to appear at the uſual place of judicature in *Charles-Town*, at the meeting of the court of common pleas which ſhall happen next after *thirty* days from the publication hereof, to ſhew cauſe, if any they have, why the ſaid petitioner ſhould not have the prayer of his petition granted.

AND WHEREAS it appears, by the ſchedule annexed to the ſaid John Conner's *petition, that ſundry of his effects are under mortgage to* Peter Benoiſt *and* Richard Still: *It is alſo ordered, that the ſaid* Peter Benoiſt *and* Richard Still, *and all others to whom any part of the petitioner's effects is aſſigned, mortgaged, or conveyed, be and appear at the time and place above-mentioned, then and there to deliver a fair account, upon oath, of all the monies that are really and bona fide due and owing to them upon ſuch mortgages, aſſignments, or other conveyance, purſuant to the act of the general aſſembly in that caſe made and provided.*

April 22d, 1756. *D. Campbell*, Cl.C.P.

TO BE SOLD,

A Tract of land containing 500 acres, very good for rice, indico and corn, but particularly the former, ſituate in COLLETON county, on the E. ſide of the weſtermoſt branch of the forks on the head of *Saltcatcher* river, bounding S.W. on the ſaid branch; the plat and grant to be ſeen at the ſubſcriber's. Alſo, to be lett, a convenient dwelling-houſe in the *Market* ſquare, with a very good kitchen, out-houſes, &c. Whoever has a mind to purchaſe the former or rent the latter, may treat with *James Roulain*, Mr. *Abraham Crouch*, or *Lambert Lance.*

TO BE SOLD

ON monday the 24th of *May* next, at public ſale, at the ſubſcriber's houſe in *Charles Town*, a valuable Library of books belonging to the eſtate of the Rev. Mr. *Henry Heywood* deceaſed, conſiſting of ſeveral hundred volumes of curious books in Hebrew, Greek, Latin, French, Italian, Dutch and Engliſh. Alſo ſeveral hundred manuſcript ſermons and other ſmall tracts on different ſubjects in divinity. Alſo ſundry manuſcript books and papers on Chronology and Antient Hiſtory, all in Mr. *Heywood's* own hand writing. The ſale will begin on monday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and be continued every afternoon afterwards 'till the whole library is ſold; and the public may be aſſured, not a book or paper has been or will be ſold before the day of ſale: Catalogues may be ſeen at Mr. *Creighton's* or the ſubſcriber's houſe in *Charles Town*. *Chriſtopher Gadſden.*

Whoever has borrowed any of Mr *Heywood's* books, are once more deſired to return them, before the day of ſale.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of Capt. *William Eddings* late deceaſed, are hereby required to pay the ſame to the ſubſcriber, on or before the firſt day of *July* next, and thoſe to whom the ſaid eſtate is indebted to bring in their accompts and demands atteſted as uſual, in order to be paid.

To be ſold for ready money at public auction, *viz.*

1. At the deceaſed's late dwelling houſe in *Charles-Town*, on wedneſday the 5th of *May* next, part of his perſonal eſtate, conſiſting of ſome ſlaves and houſhold goods.

2 At his late plantation at *Tobeeds*, on monday the 10th of *May* next, one other part of the ſaid eſtate, conſiſting of ſlaves, horſes, cattle, ſtock, proviſions, plantation tools, and houſhold goods.

3. At his late plantation on *Ediſto Iſland*, on thurſday the 13th of *May* next, the reſidue of the ſaid deceaſed's perſonal eſtate, conſiſting of ſlaves, horſes, cattle, ſtock, proviſions and plantation tools. The ſeveral ſales to begin at 10 o'clock in the forenoons.

Theodota Eddings, Adminiſtratrix.

N. B. If either of the ſaid days ſhould prove bad weather, the reſpective ſale or ſales will begin the firſt fair day or days after.

To be Lett,

THE ſtore and half the houſe next door above Meſſrs. *Neufville's* in *Broad-ſtreet*, lately occupied by Meſſrs. *Bowman & Yates*, belonging to the ſubſcriber: It is commodiouſly ſituated for trade, being cool and open to the ſummer air, and warm in the winter, moſtly convenient for a ſingle gentleman in trade: And as I intend to keep the other half, I propoſe to ſell the following articles, *viz.* Cordage of all ſorts, bed cords, twine, canvaſs, indico hooks, rum, ſugar, wine, ſhip bread, water caſket in kegs, *&c. &c.* The ready caſh will induce me to ſell for very little profit, and I hope my friends by the continuance of their good countenance and cuſtoms, will encourage *Their Humble Servant*

James Reid.

STOLEN on the 4th Day of *April* 1756, out of the Houſe of *Sufannah Sams* on *Wadmelaw-Iſland*, a ſmall Trunk, containing two *Doublons*, thirteen *Dollars*, ſome *Paper Currency*, and *Papers* of great Conſequence. AND WHEREAS this Theft is ſuppoſed to be committed by ſome negro, who will probably attempt to paſs or exchange the Money in *Charles-Town*. This is therefore to offer a Reward of TWENTY POUNDS Currency, to any Perſon that will ſtop any Negro who ſhall offer to paſs or exchange ſuch Pieces of Gold without a Ticket from his Maſter, ſo that the ſaid Papers and Money may be again recovered: Which Reward will be paid, either by the ſaid *Sufannah Sams* or *Robert McGillivray.*

Juſt imported, in the *Henrietta*, Capt. *Roſs*, from *LONDON*, and to be ſold

By *ROBERTSON & BAILLIE*,

At Mr. *Barnard Elliott*'s Houſe on the *BAY*, the Corner of *Elliott-ſtreet*, (where Meſſrs. *Smith* and *Scott* lately kept Store):

A Great quantity of camblets, callimancoes, worſted damaſks, tammies, durants, duroys, plaids, ready made cloaths of all kinds, alapines, bombazines, alamode, *Perſian* ſarſnet, crapes, princes ſtuffs, boys, youths, and mens felt, caſtor and beaver hats, and likewiſe a neat aſſortment of mens, womens, youths, girls, and childrens worſted, thread, and cotton hoſe, ſtriped ſilk, cotton, and worſted caps, yard wide, 7 8th, 3 4th, and 11 nail checks and ſtripes, cotton hollands, ſtriped cottons, romalls, cotton and ſilk and cotton gowns, furniture and *Scots* checks, white and dyed ſuſtians, thickſets, white and check'd ſhirts, ſilk, *Scotch*, and paſte-work handkerchers, a variety of 18-yard and other fine printed callicoes, cottons and linnens, of mourning, blue, dark, and lead colour grounds, and other patterns, *India* chints, white and ſtriped ginghams, kentings, minionet lawn, ditto for aprons and ruffles, muſlin, clear, flowered, and other lawns, piſtol and long lawns, cambricks, ladies faſhionable ſattin and paper hats, diaper table cloths, damaſk ditto in ſetts with napkins, tea napkins, hugaback, tandems, 3 4th, 7 8th and yard wide garlix, dowlas, *Iriſh* ſhirting and ſheeting linnen, garlix holland, *Ruſſia* linnen, oſnabrugs, brown rolls and heſſens, buckram, *Belladine* ſilk, twiſt, *&c.* tin pots, ſauce pans with covers, pudding, tart, and biſket pans, pepper and flour boxes, nutmeg and potatoe grators, diſh covers, flat candleſticks, cullenders, painted ſugar boxes, *Dutch* and copper tea kettles, ſtew and ſauce pans, coffee pots, bridle ditto, braſs cocks, inch and inch and half ſcrews, braſs ſcales of ſeveral ſizes with weights, lequer'd and white coffin furniture, ſquares, *&c.* braſs candleſticks, ditto for compting houſes, all ſizes hard and ſoft metal pewter diſhes and plates, porringers, waſh-hand baſons, pewter meaſures all ſizes, ſtandiſhes and ſand boxes, chamber pots, bed and cloſe-ſtool pans, and candle moulds, beſt broad and narrow hoes, broad and felling axes, ſpades, all kinds of coopers, joiners, ſhip and houſe carpenters tools, whip and croſs cut ſaws and files, ſquares, augers, gouges, curriers knives, frying pans, all ſorts of ſtock, cloſet, chamber and other locks, all ſorts of hinges and bolts, haſps and ſtaples, ſpike and other gimblets, bung and tap borers, iron chafing diſhes, ſad and box irons, ſteel coffee mills, 4, 6, 8, 10, 20 and 30 penny nails, iron pots, rat and mice traps, fiſhing lines, bed cords, all kinds of mens, womens, boys, girls, and childrens ſhoes, pumps, *&c.* threads of all kinds, tapes and bobbings, ſilk laces, ribbons, ferrets, ſtar, letter'd and ſcarlet gartering, women and girls ſtays, beds, bolſters and pillows, bed bunts, *Ruſſia* netting, bruſhes, malls and brooms of all kinks, *Florence* oil, pickles of all kinds, *Durham* muſtard, ſingle and double refined loaf ſugar, candy, allum, black pepper, ſnuff, cut tobacco and pigtail, buck handled carving and table knives and forks, fine penknives, taylors ſhears, beſt and common razors, waſh balls, ivory and horn combs, ſpectacles, burning glaſſes, ſpurs, beſt *London* pins and needles, *French* flints, compaſs and other ſeals, neat ſilver watches, backgammon tables, ſlates and pencils, gilt and black trunks, cork ſcrews, ſnuff boxes, ſhoe and knee buckles, lancets, gun hammers, ſnuffers, wafers, ſealing wax and quills, ink powder, blank books, fools-cap, poſt and other paper, prints, maps of North-America, primers, pſalters, ſpelling books, teſtaments, hiſtory books, *&c.* fowling pieces and ſhot of all kinds, bar lead, a great variety of glaſs ware, faſhionable glaſs candleſticks, *&c. Engliſh* china, blue and white ſtone mugs, jugs, and pots, white ſtone plates, *&c.* garden ſeeds, tincture for expelling ſtains, ivory and tortoiſe-ſhell pocket books, pincuſhion boxes, powder blue, fine book and mahogany tea cheſts, ſilk wig cauls, playing cards, bird cages, corks, coarſe and fine cutlaſſes, ſcymitars, flaſkets, fans, gloves of all ſorts, thread ditto, ladies hoops, white and red lead, punch ladles, maſks, nankeens, ſtarrets, necklaces, luteſtrings, black pepper and other ſpices, chaiſe whips, hair ſieves, unbrelloes, with a variety of other things, to be ſold very reaſonable.

TO BE SOLD by the Subcribers

AT public vendue. at the plantation of Mr. *William Sanders* deceaſed, in *Ponpon*, on thurſday the 6th day of *May* next, a ſtock of horſes, cattle, ſheep and hogs, and houſhold furniture: The conditions of the ſale is, all ſums under 20 pounds to be ready money, and all ſums above is 12 months credit, giving ſecurity if required. All perſons who have any demands on the ſaid eſtate are deſired to bring in their accompts properly atteſted, and thoſe that are any ways indebted to pay off their reſpective debts by that day, to *Lydia Sanders*, Executrix.
William Glover, Executor.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue,

ON monday the 10th of *May* next, at the houſe of Mr *Cromer* at *Abley-Ferry*, for ready money, *four* Negroes belonging to the eſtate of *William Miles* ſen. deceaſed, by *John Miles*, *William Miles*, *Jeremiah Miles*, } Executors.

ALL Perſons any ways indebted to the ſubſcriber before the year 1755, are hereby requeſted to pay the ſame immediately: He likewiſe begs the ſame favour of thoſe whoſe accompts have been ſtanding a 12-month, or that they will at leaſt ſettle them: And, as he continues to keep the ſignof the *White-Horſe* in *King-ſtreet*, he hopes for the continuance of his cuſtomers favours, who may always depend on his care and diligence to give them ſatisfaction.

BENJAMIN GODFREY.

N.B. *Taken away from ſaid* Godfrey's *houſe, a ſilver table ſpoon, ſtamp'd* IM, *and markt* BM *with a* G *above. Whoever gives information where it may be had, ſhall have* 40 *ſh. reward.*

ON the firſt Tueſday in *May* next is appointed for a meeting of the truſtee's and ſubſcribers of *Childberry* ſchool, at the houſe of *George Juve* in *Childberry* town, in order to elect a truſtee in the room of a gentleman who has reſigned.

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TO BE SOLD, three tracts of land at *Wampee* in *St. John*'s pariſh, one containing 500 acres, and another of 210, adjoining each other, and the 3d containing 100 acres, upon a fork facing three roads in ſight of *Monk*'s corner, at but 35 miles diſtance from *Charles-Town* and 2 and an half from Stone-Landing, all well ſtock'd with timber AND WHEREAS I have been informed, that a great number of fine large pine trees have been box'd and drawn on the 710 acres, there are again to offer, to any perſon that will prove by whom ſuch treſpaſs hath been committed, one half of whatever damages may be recovered upon ſuch evidence. Apply to Gabriel Guigard in *Charles-Town*, or Doct. Mottet at Stone-Landing.

Dearly some Paper Currency and Papers of great Consequence. AND WHEREAS the same is supposed to be stolen by some Negro, who has privately attempt to pass or exchange the Money in *Charles-Town*. This is therefore to offer a Reward of TWENTY POUNDS Currency, to any Person that will Rep any Negro who shall offer to pass or exchange such Pieces of Gold without a Ticket from his Master, so that the said Papers and Money may be again recovered: Which Reward will be paid, either by the said *Susannah Sams* or *Robert McGillivray*.